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Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated March 18, 2004 (Paper No. 8). The three month period for responding to the Office action expired on June 18, 2004. Accordingly, applicants respectfully request and petition that the response date be extended, for 2 month(s), through August 18, 2004. By this amendment, one new claim has been added. A check in the amount of \$438 is enclosed to cover the \$420.00 extension of time fee and the \$18 additional claim fee.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

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Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.